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Mitzelfelt Proposes Additional Funds for Domestic Violence Shelter

SAN BERNARDINO – The San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday will consider a proposal by First District Supervisor Brad Mitzelfelt to allocate \$15,000 of Community Development Block Grant funding to complete roof repairs at the Lucerne Valley Domestic Violence Shelter.

“The domestic violence shelter provides a critical service and keeping it in good condition is essential,” said Supervisor Mitzelfelt. “We originally allocated \$10,000 to the shelter for the repairs, but estimates came back at \$40,000.”

Supervisor Mitzelfelt was able to increase funding to \$25,000 in December and this additional money should now cover the full cost of the repairs.

The shelter is housed in a building that was formerly used as a hotel. The building design caused drainage problems during rainy weather. As part of the repair project, the roof is being redesigned to change its slope, which will drain rainwater off of the building and alleviate leaks.